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IN THE CLAIMS

Kindly replace the claims of record with the following full set of claims:

1. (Currently amended) A system comprising at least a communication network, a user entity and a server entity, the system comprising:

said user entity having comprising:

a processor to enable a user means for to define defining at least one itinerary search criterion and at least one service; means for sending an itinerary search request to said server entity via said communication network, said request comprising at least said search criterion and said service; means for receiveing a response via said communication network, means for presenting said response;

said server entity having, comprising:

a processor to enable means for receiveing said itinerary search request,; means for computeing at least one itinerary from said search criterion by using a transport database, said itinerary considering two or more forms of transportation to determine an optimal itinerary,; means for selecting at least one provider providing said service and fulfilling at least one proximity condition with respect to the computed itinerary by using a database of service providers, said proximity condition being adapted as a function of at least one of the following parameters: a transport mode and the type of traversed zones wherein said at least one proximity condition being determined in consideration of said forms of transportation along said computed itinerary;, and means for sending, to said user entity via said communication network, a response comprising the computed itinerary with localization of the selected provider.

2. (Currently Amended) A server entity comprising:

a processor to enable means for receiving an itinerary search request, said request comprising at least one search criterion and at least one service, means for computing at least one itinerary from said search criterion by using a transport database, said itinerary considering two or more forms of transportations, means for selecting at least one provider providing said service and fulfilling at least one proximity condition

with respect to the computed itinerary by using a database of service providers, said proximity condition being adapted as a function of at least one of the following parameters: a transport mode and the type of traversed zones wherein said-proximity conditions being determined in consideration of said forms of transportation;, and means for sending a response comprising the computed itinerary with localization of the selected provider.

3. (Currently amended) A search method <u>for a user using a user entity, the method</u> comprising the steps of:

by the user using the user entity,

defining at least one itinerary search criterion and at least one service;

computing at least one itinerary responding to said search criterion by
using a transport database, said itinerary considering two or more forms of transportation
to determine an optimal itinerary;

selecting at least one provider providing said service which fulfills at least one proximity condition with respect to the computed itinerary by using a database of service providers, <u>said proximity condition being adapted as a function of at least one of the following parameters: a transport mode and the type of traversed zones wherein said proximity conditions being determined in consideration of said forms of transportation:</u>

presenting the computed itinerary with localization of the selected provider.

- 4. (Cancelled)
- 5. (Cancelled)
- 6. (Currently Amended)

 A search method as claimed in claim 3, eharacterized in that said step of defining wherein the service can be executed user defined independently of the itinerary computation the definition of the at least one itinerary.

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<u>search criterion</u>, and in that the services defined are stored in a current list intended to be used during the itinerary computation.

7. (Currently amended) A <u>computer readable storage medium program</u> comprising instructions, <u>stored in a programming memory</u>, <u>which</u>, <u>when loaded into a processor</u>, <u>causes said processor to perform for performing</u> an itinerary search method by a processor, <u>said method</u> comprising the <u>steps of</u>:

defining at least one itinerary search criterion and at least one service;

computing at least one itinerary responding to said search criterion by
using a transport database, said itinerary considering two or more forms of transportation
to determine an optimal itinerary;

selecting at least one provider providing said service which fulfills at least one proximity condition with respect to the computed itinerary by using a database of service providers, said proximity condition being adapted as a function of at least one of the following parameters: a transport mode and the type of traversed zones wherein said proximity conditions being determined in consideration of said forms of transportation:

presenting the computed itinerary with localization of the selected provider.

8. (Currently amended)An itinerary search request comprising at least one itinerary search criterion dependent upon a transportation mode and at least one service, said request being addressed to a server entity comprising:

a processor to enable, means for receiving an itinerary search request, said request comprising at least one search criterion and at least one service, means for computing at least one itinerary from said search criterion by using a transport database, said itinerary considering two or more forms of transportation to determine an optimal itinerary, means for selecting at least one provider providing said service and fulfilling at least one proximity condition with respect to the computed itinerary by using a database of service providers, said proximity condition being adapted as a function of

at least one of the following parameters: a transport mode and the type of traversed zones wherein said proximity conditions being determined in consideration of said forms of transportation; means for sending a response comprising the computed itinerary with localization of the selected provider.

9. (Cancelled)